GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2563
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Powerlooms Operating on Solar Energy
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to grant subsidy to powerlooms operating on solar energy as part of its clean energy initiatives and if so, the details thereof;

(b) the date from which powerlooms in the country will utilize solar energy for their operations;

(c) the amount of subsidy likely to be provided to persons belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and General Category; and

(d) the details of time-interval at which subsidy is proposed to be released to the beneficiaries?

Answer

MINISTER OF TEXTILES
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (d): Some representations have been received for introducing a subsidy scheme for Solar Energy Systems in the Powerloom Sector. The matter is under examination.

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